Thomas Morton autoed to Maple Rap-

Fred and Frank Reynolds visited at

Mrs. Aldrich returned to her home in

Mr. and Mrs. James Metcalf were in

Mrs. Schuman has gone on a two

Claud Manley of Vestaburg visited

Ida Follick of Elm Hall visited at the

Mr. R. Metcalf has gone on a two

Mr. and Mrs. L. Beemis and son of

Alma are visiting relatives north of

Elmer Keith took part in the Deco-

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Oliver, of Mt.

Mr. and Mrs. Rueben King are en-

tertaining an aunt from St. Louis for

Alton Stearns of Alma spent Sunday

n Riverdale the guest of Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. Patrick O'Brien of St. Louis is

Quite a number from Riverdale at-

Miss Francis Looker and Miss Vera

Valance were guests of Mrs. Roy Hill

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Phelps and child-

ren were in Riverdale last week, calling

Mrs. Alfred Looker and Mrs. E. M.

Highfield were entertained by Miss Ida

of Riverdale spent Saturday and Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morton and child-

Miss Mary Wynne spent Saturday

Morton and Schnepp, Riverdale's

Lewis Rhoades who has been doing

mason work at Alma for sometime ar-

rived in Riverdale Saturday to do sever-

Those who attended the base ball game

at Elm Hall Saturday between Elm Hall

and Sheridan witnessed a good game.

Riverdale has four graduates in the class of 1914, Blanche Matthewson, Car-

and Sunday with her mother, Mrs.

Wynne and family, of Alma.

with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jacques.

Pleasant called on friends in Riverdale

Decoration day.

few days.

John Davenport.

Nelson, Friday.

for a few days.

Sunday evening.

Miss Helen Williams.

Sheridan and Elm Hall.

f Alma Decoration day.

lale, guests of relatives.

on friends and relatives.

Follick in Elm Hall Saturday.

ration day exercises at Elm Hall Satur-

home of Mrs. A. J. Looker Sunday.

weeks' visit with relatives in Toledo.



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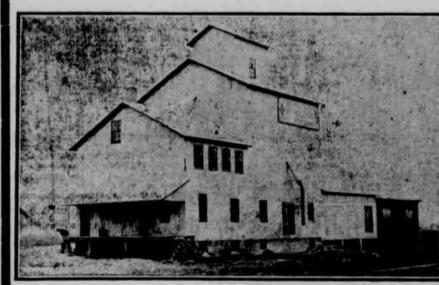
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RIVERDALE

ds Sunday

Alma Saturday.

to Alma Saturday.

Maple Rapids Sunday,

own Saturday on business.

friends in Riverdale Sunday.

Ernest Ellison was an Alma visitor

Mrs. David Drett was an Alma caller Wednesday.

Miss Mary Reynolds was an Alma

Mr. and Mrs. R. King spent Saturday in St. Louis. Mrs. Guy Welch visited friends in

Elwell Friday. Mrs. La May spent several days in

Alma last week. Mrs. Carrie Kerwin was in town Sat-

irday on business. Ira Richards was in Vestaburg Tuesday on business.

Dr. E. M. Highfield is in Detroit on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall were River- Toledo. lale callers Saturday.

Miss Love of Winn visited friends in Riverdale Wednesday.

Mrs. L. A. Luthon visited friends and relatives in Alma Friday. F. B. Reader of Vestaburg was in

town Tuesday on business. Forest La Paugh has gone on a visit to South Dakota and Montana.

Rowland Valance and Roy King were Vestaburg callers Tuesday.

Miss Florence Hall called on relatives in Riverdale Friday evening.

Mrs. Ben Wilcher and son called on riends in Riverdale Tuesday.

Mrs. Demmings, north of Riverdale s spending the week in Detroit. Miss Pearl Grimm of Alma visited

elatives south of town Sunday. Clare Reid spent Sunday with his par-

nts southwest of Elm Hall, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Carmer entertaind friends from Flint Saturday evening-Mrs. Cora Hudson and Mrs. Forquer isited friends in Alma and Elwell Fri-

Dr. E. M. Highfield was in Vestaburg Tuesday evening on professional busi-

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown, entertaind relatives from Vestaburg over last

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Schnepp and Mrs. R. Schnepp visited friends in Vestaurg Friday.

Miss Isabelle Horton who teaches at Cedar Corners closed a very successful

Mrs. Jasper Norton and daughter, Dorothy spent Memorial day in Edmore with Mrs. Hews.

Julius Moblo returned to his home in Flint Saturday, after spending several weeks with relatives. Miss Florence Hart of Grand Rapids

spent Saturday and Sunday with her ren, and Mr. and Mrs. Stambaugh of ister, Mrs. Jack Moblo. Elm Hall, autoed to Alma Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Swope and chilfren were Sunday guests of relatives

n Breckenridge and Wheeler. Warren Vanleuvan north of town. Mrs. Demmings north of town, spen

Tuesday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Carmer. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Carmer were

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith, north of town. Melvin Budge arrived in Riverdale

Friday evening from Texas, where he has been teaching school the past year. returned to his home at Lake View, Rev. A. W. Baker and family left Saturday evening. Tuesday evening for Cromwell, Iowa, where they expect to make a three weeks' visit with relatives.

foot shed in the back of the livery barn Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moblo, Mr. and for a garage and buggy shed. Mrs. Harry Tubbs and Mrs. E. M. Highfield attended the play "Gypsy Rover" in Alma Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. Young and children and Mrs. al jobs which are waiting him. A. E. North, returned home Thursday evening after spending a week with reatives in Williamston.

Mrs. B. O. Markham returned from Although Elm Hall was defeated 6 to 2 orest Hill Saturday evening, where they played ball every minute, the has been spending a week with rela-

Miss Van Horn of Vestaberg called tion day. Rev. A. E. North delive aday last week. n friends in Riverdale last Saturday, the address, and a suitable program was Mrs. E. M. Highfield visited Mrs. Al- rendered for the occasion. red Hutchinson of Alma Wednesday

Last Friday evening Miss Helen Wil- roll Hyde, Clare Going and Frank Van iams entertained the members of the Alstine. The Baccalaureate sermon was School Board and their wives, also the given at the Methodist church Sunday teachers at a pleasant evening spent at evening. The commencement address games, etc. Light refreshments were will be delivered by Mr. R. A. Collins, served, and an enjoyable time spent by of Alma, Friday evening, June 5th, at

Northeast Ferris

Otto Blair has finished corn planting.

Eliza Fairchild is visiting her brother, leo. Andrews. . Percy Tissue and wife called on his

arents at Crystal Saturday. Will Redd is working for Will Ball n his Sumner farm.

The Douglas school will close a very accessful year Friday.

Harry Marvin and wife of Alma pent the week end with his parents. O. M. Blair and family attended Deco-

ration Day exercises at Elm Hall. The Hoxie boys are putting in twenty icres of corn. Lyle Follick is teamster

Jessie Maxham has closed her year's work at Wheeler, and came home Saturay evening.

Jacob Rundio has bought back his old Mrs. Estelle Sabin. arm in Ferris and his son. Walter Rundio, has moved on it.

Dell Hounes expects to move in the hospital Grand Rapids visited in Alma ard's Sunday.

near future. He will work for George Andrews the coming season.

the Methodist church.

Sunday, May 24, was the eighteenth anniversary of John and Eva Bollinger. Ken Wilson is working for Arthur The anniversary meeting was held at Marshall Smith

> We are pleased to hear that Mrs. Milton Bollinger has been granted the moth-

Marshall Smith has some excellent crops. He has been putting a new roof on the barn of his tenant farm.

We notice that Geo. Stambaugh's farm wife. and crops look fine. He is doing his work alone.

planters turned out Monday to plant had his hand hurt again by the ball sorn for the Hoxie boys. Miss Myrta Maynard of Grand Rap-

ids spent Sunday afternoon with her umt, Mrs. Estelle Sabin. Mrs. Wm. Long of Cedar Corners

Miss Grace Myers of the N. B. A. from near Alma visited at Pearl Lect pared, a Maypole was wound and many

NOTICE.

The Record appreciates the courtesy f its friends in leaving news of interest in the item box at the postoffice, but we must ask that all such notes be signed. Numerous articles have been discarded merely because there was no signature. The names will not be printed, but are necessary to give the publisher authority A. Vanalstyne made a business trip for using the item.

ALMA VS. ITHACA.

Alma High school base ball team ourneyed to Ithaca Tuesday afternoon to hand Ithaca another defeat with a score of 6 to 0. Crozier and Taylor pitched for Ithaca and were taken for 10 hits, while Ithaca only made two hits. Smith starred in the field for Alma and Carl Wood and Gaffney starred with the club. Alma feels pretty good over the shut out as it is the first one for several

weeks' visit to Detroit, Cleveland and years. Following was the line-up: Perry, c; Highfield, p; Cash, 1b; smith, 2b; Gaffney, 3b; Mann and Street ss; Lutz, If; Mack Wood, cf; Carl

Mrs. J. E. Page is visiting in Toledo.

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TOWN LINE

Miss Nellie Creston spent Sunday with her parents near Forest Hill.

Wm. Edgar and wife spent Sunday with relatives in Ithaca. Miss Pearl Edgar of Alma spent

Homer Parks was the guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Sunday with Miss Ruby Paulus. There were a number from here atended Decoration Day exercises in Al-

sisting her sister, Mrs. Carrie Kerwin Mrs. Cora Rogers of Seville called on Miss Floral Waldo and Mrs. B. Mc-Roy Davenport made a business trip Kinney on Friday.

to Saginaw Saturday returning home One Mosher of Riverdale spent Sunday Monday and in September she will at with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Eangerham tend the Normal at Mt. Pleasant. Miss Ethel Maynard of Grand Rapids and wife. spent a few days of the past week with

tended the ball game Saturday between

called on O. L. Paulus and family on over 50 years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brownridge and children spent last Saturday in River-

week, left the last of the week when Leat Adams and family who have been

Ray Capin of McBrides and formerly have moved back on the farm. Mrs. Ad- number of weeks with his sister, Mrs. ams will go back and forth to her store Ruben Cummins. in Alma during the summer,

Mrs. Lester Thomas and family and Miss Pearl Vanleuvan of Alma spent Mrs. Clair Nelson and family, in Sagi- for the past year and is well liked and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. naw, returned home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. William Webb of Wil- year. Ford Osborn and Roland Valance at- liamston, who were called here to attend

Frank Webb and family. Miss Beatrice Harter of Hinsdale, Ill., who has been visiting her mother. Tuesday on account of the death of Joe Mr. Smith, who has had charge of Mrs. Lizzie Harter, has returned to her Ellison. Mr. Wm. Rice's store for some time, home to take up her work at the hos-

pital as a nurse. Alfred Jones went on Friday to visit with his grandmother, Mrs. Cather-

L. T. Muhn is the owner of a new auto which he purchased of Al Wyant in Alma last Saturday.

R. C. Saxton, district manager of the Union Telephone Co., of Alma, made a business trip here the first of the week. dale spent Sunday with Louis Eager-

ham and family. Miss E. Stitet, who has been teaching school near Ashley for the past two years, finished last Friday for the summer vacation. She returned home on

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Carter of Alma Corps of Alma made their trip to pent Sunday with O. L. Paulus and Wright cemetery on Saturday, where they placed flowers on the graves of the Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hooper of Alma men who fought and saved our country

Mrs. C. R. Moulton of Brooklyn, who Miss Frances Gee, who has been vis- was called to Riverdale to attend the

house in Mrs. C. L. Bamborough house. her husband and Clair Nelson and family to Pontiac where they will bring living in Alma for the past few months, Carlton Church home after spending

Clayton Church, who has been spend- Wright district. Ice cream and cake ng the past few days with his sisters, were served and a fine program was given. Hugh Bartley has been teaching we hope he will teach for the coming

Richard Ellison and wife of Holland, tended a dance given at John Vaugh's the funeral of their brother-in-law, Joe | Jess Ellison and wife of Detroit, Mrs. north of Vestaburg Saturday evening. Ellison on Tuesday, were the guests of Clara Humphrey, Bert Obson and wife of Riverdale, E. Brant and wife, Wm. Snell and wife of Alma were called here

Ed. Forest has been working for Bert Bamborough for the past few days. He states that he and his family expect to hustling liverymen, are ereeting a 18x72 ine Flewelling in Alma and then left move into Al Hazelton house in the on Saturday for Vernon to visit his southern part of Arcada township. It brother, Clyde and family for a few will be remembered that they have been

Elm Hall Items

Bert Lowe of Grand Rapids visited

Frank Duford spent Sunday in Sagi-

summer onto his father's farm in Ferris. Miss Jessie Maxham is home from Mrs. Boyd who live near Alma, visited Wheeler where she has been teaching at Mr. Ward's Sunday,

Mrs. Edith Ferris of Elwell spent

Mrs. Cora Brooks of Grand Rapids and wife, and Miss Hildreth, motored visited with C. L. Brooks and wife last to Cadillac last Friday and returned

the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. day in Belding with her daughter, Mrs. in District No. 4, East Coc. All seem Hattie Currie.

> Bert Culver and wife of Elwell took about 75. George Culver, superinten-Sunday dinner with his mother, Mrs. dent. Seymour Harris.

Rome Moss and wife of Greenville spent from Friday night till Sunday night with her parents, Seneca Sly and

The Sheridan ball boys played at Elm Hall Saturday afternoon. Score 6 to 2 O. M. Blair and his force of corn in favor of Sheridan. Carroll Brooks hitting his little finger.

East Coe News Items

Mrs. Minnick and aunt, Mrs.

Moyer Post and the Woman's Relief

Mr. Earles, the cheeseman, was in town

at J. Corbin's Sunday, Several from this vicinity attended the Memorial service at Elm Hall Decora-

Mrs. Effie Hoxic was in Saginaw one

naw with his parents. Walter Rundio has moved for the not all planted yet.

Mrs. James Toy was in Ann Arbor from Saginaw to their old home at V last week, called there by the death of D. Stahls and returned Sunday.

over Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Alice turned to her home in Ithaca Monday.

Mrs. Seymore Harris spent Satur-

pent two days of last week sewing for from a week's visit with friends in fil- the fifth birthday anniversary of her

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Parks of River-

ting her sister, Mrs. Jennie Kirby for funeral of her brother, Joseph Ellison the past few days, returned home on came on Frdiay to the home of Miss Floral Waldo and Mrs. B. McKinney and make them look young again. Mrs. Harry Watkins who has been to visit with friends and old neighbors It is our business to rejuvenate helping Mrs. H. J. Hyde for the past as she was aresident of here 45 years Mrs. Frank Church went to Saginaw she and her husband went to keeping on Friday where she will accompany

School closed Friday afternoon at the

living in Mrs. Johnson's tenant house.

St. Louis Friday to witness the unveiling of the Soldier's Monument, and to

hear Gov. Ferris and other noted speak-Walter Burge who has been sick for a long time is no better and not much

hopes of recovery. Mr. and Mrs. E. Namsey from west uel Allen Sunday.

their work on low undrained land. Corn Mr. and Mrs. Putnam and Mr. and

"The rain has put farmers back with

Earl Robinson and family motored up

Mrs. S. E. Boughner who has been visiting here for the past ten days re-C. D. Perrine and wife, son, Verne

They have a splendid Sunday School to take an interest; the attendance is

PATTENGILL REUNION

Will be Held June 27 at the Chas. Naldrett Home The Annual Pattengill reunion will be

held this year at the residence of Chas.

Naldrett in Ithaca, June 27. Pupils

should not forget the date or place.

Mrs. A. R. Smith gave a birthday party at her residence at 231 Grant Ave-Silas Leonard and wife have returned nue, last Friday forenoon in honor of son, Arvine. Forty kindergarten folks were invited and a joyful time was prechildren's games played. Ice cream and

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Record Auction Ads Get the People Out George Andrews tenant house in the last week with Miss Margaret Myers. Quite a number from be